Dear Friend:

You are invited to participate in an all-day forum, **Between Us: A Women's Caucus on Girls, Friday, March 12, 1999, 9:00 a.m.—5:30 p.m. at Georgia State University's Student University Center**. This event is especially designed to give any woman who works with girls an opportunity to pay special attention to the issues that she faces on a daily basis when supporting girls' development into womanhood.

Between Us presents a unique blend of experiential and technical workshops to strengthen your staff, your programs, and your group or organization. Many times, because the needs of the girls we work with are so pressing, we often miss opportunities to evaluate and strengthen our own place in this movement for girls. The cost for attending this event is $30.00 for an individual, $25.00 per person for two to four participants, and $20.00 per person for five or more participants from the same organization.

If you'd like to attend this event, please fill out the enclosed registration form. If you have questions, contact Patsy White at the Atlanta Women's Foundation, 404.577.5000.

Sincerely,

Lillie Allen
Be Present

Luz Borrero
Cool Girls

Rachel Alterman Wallack
Youth Communication: Metro Atlanta

Ayesha Khanna
YWCA of Greater Atlanta

Alice Johnson
Atlanta/Fulton Commission on Children and Youth

Gloria Moore
Wilson Moore & Associates

Amber Moore
Team Webgrrls Atlanta

Laverne Robinson
Be Present

Arlena Shaw
Girls, Inc.

Benita Thompson
Newcomer's Network

Patsy White
Atlanta Women's Foundation

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A day long forum for women who work with girls

Friday, March 12, 1999

at

Georgia State University
Student University Center

Sponsored by the

Atlanta Women's Foundation

A Beginning...

As women, we have a unique challenge to nurture girls' development amidst complicated, mixed messages about who they are and who they're "supposed to be." We often struggle in isolation to create the most effective programs that promote girls' self-sufficiency, power, and confidence while facing a lack of financial and human resources for our organizations to do the job.

Between Us: A Women's Caucus on Girls represents a beginning. This special day's activities will: 1) help us gain new perspectives on ourselves and how our histories can impact the girls we work with; 2) provide technical assistance for our programs; 3) strengthen our organizational capacities for the future; and 4) unify our voices for more effective advocacy on behalf of girls.

We certainly hope you will join us for this momentous event. Please pass this information on to other women who work in the community with and on behalf of girls.

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Registration Form

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Name:_____ Title:_____

Organization:_____

Address:_____

Phone:_____ Fax:_____ Email:_____

Web Address:_____ Amount Enclosed:$_____

Organization Description:_____

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Your Job/Volunteer Responsibilities:_____

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Lunch

☐ Your registration fee covers lunch and includes a vegetarian option. Please indicate here if you would like a vegetarian entree.

Workshops

Please choose one workshop per track.

Track A Workshops 1:30 p.m.

- ☐ How to Focus on Girls
- ☐ Economic Empowerment
- ☐ Violence Prevention
- ☐ Developing Girls' Leadership
- ☐ Pregnancy, Sexuality, Setting Limits
- ☐ Effective Programming for Diversity

Track B Workshops 3:00 p.m.

- ☐ Fundraising
- ☐ Exploring Technology
- ☐ Measuring Program Effectiveness
- ☐ Marketing and Public Relations
- ☐ Impacting Policy

Display Tables

Please indicate here if you would like display space. There is no additional charge for displaying your materials.

☐ Our organization would like 1/2 of a display table ☐ Our organization would like a whole display table.

This Caucus is for any woman who:

- works with girls, paid or volunteer
- wants to meet the specific needs of girls
- makes policy decisions impacting girls
- directs an organization focusing on girls
- is a board member of an organization focusing on girls
- writes grants for girls' programs to receive funding
- wants to work with girls and would like to design a new program or organization

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Agenda

8:15 **Registration and Breakfast**

9:00 **Opening** Atlanta Women's Foundation

9:30 **Our Work with Girls** (Round Table discussions about our work)

10:30 **Women & Girls I Know, My Mother, Myself** (Small group work about womanhood)

12:00 **Lunchtime Dialogue** (Rep. Nan Orrock)

1:30 **Strengthening Our Programs (Workshop Track 1)**
A: How to Focus on Girls—Even When We Also Serve Boys
B: Economic Empowerment: Viable Options for Girls
C: Violence Prevention & Intervention: Survival Strategies for Girls
D: Developing Girls' Leadership Throughout Our Organizations
E: Pregnancy, Sexuality, Setting Limits and Boundaries
F: Effective Programming Accounting for Diversity

3:00 **Strengthening Our Organizations (Workshop Track 2)**
A: Fundraising: How To Raise The Money We Need Now!
B: Exploring the World of Technology
C: Measuring Program Effectiveness and Outcomes
D: Customizing Marketing and Public Relations
E: Impacting Policy: Making Our Advocacy Count

4:30 **Future Plans**

5:00 **Closing**

What to Bring:

- Business Cards
- Brochures about your organization, group, or agency
- Fact Sheets, literature, and resource materials
- Reading lists and bibliographies
- Internet resources
- Money to purchase books and other resources

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Directions to Georgia State University Student University Center, 44 Courtland St, 404.463.9112

From North: I-85/75 southbound to Exit 97 (Courtland St.) continue straight apprx. 7 traffic lights. Commercial parking is available within a few blocks in either direction on Edgewood Ave. and Gilmer St.

From South: I-85/75 northbound to Exit 91 (GSU/Downtown) and take the right fork following the sign to Fulton St. At the first traffic light, turn right onto Fulton St. Continue to first traffic light and turn left on Capitol Avenue. Capitol Ave. changes names to Piedmont Ave. You will enter the campus after you pass the Georgia State MARTA Station on the right. Commercial parking is available to the left a few blocks down Decatur Street or a few blocks further down Piedmont at the intersection of Piedmont and Edgewood Ave.

From the East: Take I-20 Westbound to Exit 24 (Capitol Ave.)and turn right onto Capitol. Capitol will change names to Piedmont Ave. You will enter the campus after you pass the Georgia State MARTA Station on the right. Commercial parking is available to the left a few blocks down Decatur Street or a few blocks further down Piedmont at the intersection of Piedmont and Edgewood Ave.

From the West: Take I-20 Eastbound to Exit 22 (Windsor Street/Spring Street/Stadium) and stay on the feeder road. At the third traffic light, turn left onto Central Avenue. You will enter the campus just before Decatur Street at the sixth traffic light. Commercial parking is available on the left on Decatur St. or a few blocks down Central.

MARTA: Exit Georgia State Station on the Piedmont Ave. side. Turn right walking two blocks to Gilmer.